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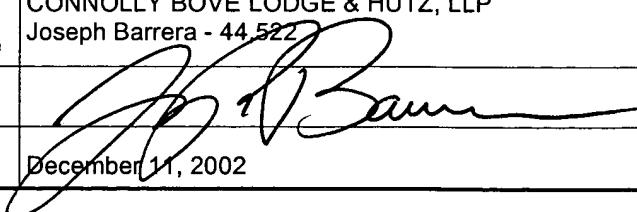
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated October 1, 2002 (Paper No. 3745), please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend claims 1, 6, 11-13, 15 and 21 to read as follows.

1. (Twice Amended) A connector for connecting a mother board to a plate-like electronic module with electrical conductive pads at an end part, comprising a housing and a first ventilation opening, wherein

the housing is mounted on the mother board and provided with a main body and a pair of arms,

the main body has one end adapted for electrical connection to the mother board and an opposite end adapted for electrical connection with the electrical conductive pads of the electronic module,

the pair of arms extend from the main body securing the electronic module above the mother board a predetermined distance when the electrical conductive pads of the electronic module are connected to the contacts,